

Agenda and Notes



Sex and Gender Working Group

September 28, 2021

Via Teleconference

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	Item	Purpose	Allocated Time	Presenter
1	<i>Welcome and Acknowledgement</i>		3 minutes	Karen Courtney
2	<i>Purpose of the Infoway Sex and Gender Working Group</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Recap	2 minutes	Karen Courtney
3	<i>Margaret Robinson</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Presentation	20 mins	Margaret Robinson
4	<i>Group Discussion and/or Questions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Discussion	10 mins	WG
5	<i>Karen Courtney</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">MSFHR Update	5 mins	Karen Courtney
6	<i>Karen Courtney</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Meeting plan update	5 mins	Karen Courtney
7	<i>Schedule and Topics Review</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Recap	3 mins	Karen Courtney
8	<i>Francis Lau</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">GSSO + SCT Presentation		Francis Lau
9	<i>Adjournment</i>			Karen Courtney



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1. **Welcome and Acknowledgement**

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2. **Purpose of the Infoway Sex and Gender Working Group**

3. **Margaret Robinson, Dalhousie University – Two-Spirit Identity in a Time of Gender Fluidity**

In this presentation Dr. Robinson provided an overview of the history and construction of the term Two-Spirit, and provided historic examples of historic figure that we might today label as Two-Spirit, but who had distinct cultural identities. Dr. Robinson also discussed the philosophical and worldview-related challenges associated with including 2S in with sexual identities LGBQA+.

4. **Group Discussion and/or Questions**

Great response from the WG.

5. **Update – Karen Courtney – UVIC – MSFHR REACH Grant, Digital Health/EHR Functions Meeting**

Presented results from September 14, 2021 special topics meeting.

6. **Update – Karen Courtney – UVIC – MSFHR REACH Grant, Meeting Plan**

Provided update. Next special topics meeting is October 12, 2021.

7. **Meeting schedule for 2021**

Next SGWG meeting is October 26. Robert McClure and Robert Horn from the HL7 International Gender Harmony Project will be presenting.

8. **Francis Lau**

WG Subcommittee required to analyze GSSO concepts and SNOMED CT, submit RFCs and ultimately, produce a subset. Third Wednesdays starting at noon. Email Francis at fylau@uvic.ca.

9. **Adjournment**

